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J. A. T. CATON & CO. HAVE REMOVED their place o business to the premises recently occupied by CAPTAIN CLARKE, on Yates Street.
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ROYAL HOSPITAL.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF Visiting Surgeon to the Royal Hospital for the ensuing year, from 31st March, 1887, will be received by the directors on or before noon on April 6th, 1887.
J. STUART YATES,
mar26-1w Hon. Secretary.

REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE that they have removed to a Store on

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Grand Musical Festival

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Band and Chorus of 200 Performers

Special Trips from Nanaimo, Vancouver and Westminster, at one fare for the round trip.
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Entertainment Every Evening

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Vulgarity strictly prohibited on the Stage, as well as in the audience.
A complete Change of Programme Mondays and Thursdays.

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Coming and will positively appear April 4th,
CAIN AND HAYWOOD,
LAVENDER AND THOMPSON,

April 11th, "THE WONDERFUL BICKETS."

Admission 25 and 50 Cents. mar27-1m

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

THE EXAMINATIONS FOR ENTRANCE into the Civil Service of Canada will commence on Tuesday, the 10th day of May next, at 9 a. m., and will be held at the usual places, viz: Halifax, N. S., St. John, N. B., Charlottetown, P. E. I., Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, London, Winnipeg, and Victoria, B. C.

Applications for forms of admission will be received by the undersigned until the 15th day of April, *and not later*, and must be returned duly executed by the 25th idem., after which date the Rolls must necessarily be closed.

By order of the Board,
P. LESUEUR,
C. S. Commissioner and Secretary.
Ottawa, 15th, March, 1887. mar30-3t-law

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UPHOLSTERERS AND GENERAL FURniture dealers in Parlor Suites, Lounges, Mattresses, Cornice Polls and Window Blinds.

Intending purchasers will do well by calling on us and inspecting our well assorted Stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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Barque "VIOLA" from London.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS VESSEL must be sent into the undersigned by noon on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 6th instant.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Victoria, B. C., Consignees of Vessel.
4th April, 1887. apr5-2t

A RARE CHANCE.

FOR SALE OR LEASE,

The VICTORIA MALT HOUSE

Being the only one in the province, and first-class Barley obtainable on the Island, this will prove an excellent investment for parties with sufficient capital. For particulars apply
H. F. SIEWERD,
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Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y.

GOOD FRIDAY, April 8.

On Good Friday, April 8th, the Regular Train for Nanaimo will leave Russell's Station at 9.20 a. m. instead of 8.20 a. m., carrying passengers to Shawnigan Lake and Intermediate points at Excursion Rates.

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Wanted a Traveller.

Must be energetic, a good Salesman, and thoroughly up in the Dry Goods trade. A good position for a suitable man.

Address application in writing to E. M. JOHNSON, P. O. Box 188, Victoria, giving References, and subsequently call at Office, Corner Government and Bastion Streets.
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Notice of No Auction.

Owing to the small amount of Japanese and Chinese Curiosities remaining on hand from last Sale it is not deemed necessary by the undersigned to hold a further Auction of the remaining Goods.

There is a large amount of

CHAIRS, SATSUMA,
AND KIOTOWARE,
BRONZES, ETC.

Which will be sold by Private Sale, on the premises, for a few days. J. A. O'BRIEN.
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BARQUE "VIOLA," FROM LONDON.

NEITHER CAPTAIN PRICE NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.
Victoria, B. C., 19th March, 1887. mar20-1w

S. C. BURRIS,

ARCHITECT.

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Pianos and Organs Tuned by the Year or Otherwise.

REEDS and SPRINGS adjusted in Concertinas and Accordions. Orders at
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To Grocers, Butchers, Bakers and Druggists

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL BE received by the undersigned on behalf of the Royal Hospital until noon on Wednesday, April 6th, 1887, for supplies for ensuing year ending March 31st, 1888.

Tenders to be endorsed "Royal Hospital Supplies."

Specifications can be seen on application to
J. STUART YATES,
Hon. Sec'y, Langley St.

A. MCLEAN, President.
Victoria, B. C., March 25th, 1887. mar26-1w

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 8th.

EXCURSION

—TO—

SHAWNIGAN LAKE.

GRAND ANGLING COMPETITION

For Prizes amounting to $25.00, to be given by Charles Morton, of the "Mo-ton House."
Large Covered Dancing Platform, 100 x 80 ft.
Boats for Hire at Victoria Rates. Rifle Shooting.
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Delta Stock Yard

LADNER'S LANDING.

THE FIRST AUCTION SALE OF

Live Stock and Implements

will be held in the above Yard, on

WEDNESDAY, 11th MAY, 1887

Full particulars in future advertisement.

H. N. RICH, Auctioneer.

Ladner's Landing, March 25th, 1887.
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

A Sale of Useful and Fancy Articles will be held at Christ Church Cathedral Schoolrooms on Thursday morning, the 21st instant, at 11 o'clock, in aid of the Esquimalt Parsonage Fund.

A GREAT CONFLAGRATION.

The Famous Hotel Del Monte at Monterey, Cal., Totally Destroyed by Fire—Loss $1,500,000.

MONTEREY, Cal., April 2.—The Hotel del Monte was burned to the ground last night. No sooner was the fire discovered than the water was turned on, but all efforts to save the building were in vain. Ten minutes afterwards the Monterey fire department was on the premises, and had two streams on the building. The water pressure was poor, and at times it could not throw a stream higher than ten feet. The firemen worked hard, and several times they were driven back by the flames. There were about 350 guests in the hotel, and such scenes as were witnessed when the alarm was given will never be forgotten by those present. People went wild in trying to escape. Men and women could be seen running out from all directions in their night clothes, calling for some one to save them. They were taken to the club house and provided with blankets, and wagons were procured and they were brought into town, where willing hands were ready to receive them. They are all stopping around town in hotels and private houses, and as far as heard from no lives were lost. The Hotel del Monte had just passed into the management of George S. Schoenwald, late of the Palace. Three hours after the alarm was given the entire building had burned to the ground, and all that could be seen were the brick chimneys standing erect, and to-day the Hotel del Monte is a mass of ruins. The water pipes through the house were bursted, and it was impossible to get a stream of water on any part of the building. Had it not been for the water pipes through the hotel bursting, the firemen could have saved part of the building as they would have had a good pressure from the hydrant. It is estimated that $1,500,000 will not cover the loss, as the insurance was very small.

The hotel belonged to the Southern Pacific railway company, and was considered the handsomest watering-place hrtel in America. It cost $350,000 and was not insured. Charles Crocker, vice-president of the Southern Pacific, was seen early this morning and said the hotel would be re-built, as it had proved a very profitable investment.

The fire was first noticed in the lavatory. There was no building in the world better provided with means of extinguishing fire than was the Hotel del Monte. Hose was placed in every corridor, and fire extinguishers in every hallway, and a magnificent system of water works, built by the company at a cost of nearly half a million dollars, was capable of throwing a stream to a height of 100 feet. Besides this, over $200,000 had been expended on water appliances within the building, until, as was believed, nothing had been left undone to secure both building or guests from loss or accident by fire. In order to secure an ample supply of water, Charles Crocker purchased three years ago the ranche which includes the Carmelo river, and erected an immense reservoir and mains at a cost of $400,000. The force of water was so great that if a full head was turned on it would have torn down an ordinary building.

From the fact that the water pipes had been tampered with, and that immediately after the first outbreak of the fire the flames were noticed in another part of the building, it is firmly believed that it was the work of an incendiary. The matter will be strictly investigated.

THE PRINCE

Successfully Bucks the Tiger—His Winnings at Monte Carlo.

LONDON, March 27.—Stories come daily of the good times the Prince of Wales enjoyed in the Riviera, before he went to Berlin. An English lady related to me how his royal highness did battle with the royal tiger at Monte Carlo. He made his bets each of 100 francs, and put the bills down according to his changing fancy. He had no system, but fortune was kind. My informant saw him put 100 francs on No. 13—a defiance of superstition worthy of the New York thirteen club—and, sure enough, 13 won, and the prince got thirty-five one-hundred-franc bills for the one he risked.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Chicago is to have a number of boodler trials shortly.

The socialists of Chicago claim that they can show a list of 40,000 votes for the socialistic ticket.

A. M. Staunton, manager of George K. Sistares & Sons' bank, Detroit, absconded with between $28,000 and $29,000.

The Santa Rosa, Cal., hotel one of the oldest in California, was burned on Friday morning. The fire was caused by incendiaries.

The Little Rock & Fort Smith railway passed into the hands of Jay Gould Friday and active work on the extensions of the line is to begin at once.

District Attorney Martine has decided that Jacob Sharp will be the next of those indicted for complicity in the Broadway steal to be brought to trial,

In the house of commons Friday nigh *cloture* was carried by a vote of 361 to 263 and the first reading of the coercion bill was acted upon without division.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll was admitted to practice at the bar in New York State Friday before the general term of the supreme court. When he was asked to be sworn he refused and affirmed instead.

A gentleman in Washington, who has especial reason to interest himself in secretary Manning's health, has receivedf personal advices from England confirming the worst reports yet published.

The London *News* says that the land bill introduced by Lord Cardigan in the house of lords Thursday evening convicts the ministry of the grossest inconsistency, and entirely justifies Parnell's action during last autumn's session of parliament.

The Queen arrived at Cannes on Friday, Her majesty drove from the railway station to the villa Ederveisse in an open carriage without a rider. The houses along the route were decorated with flags and people filled the streets and enthusiastically cheered her majesty.

Judge Wallace, sitting in the case of Robert Rogers and Thomas H. Ismay *vs.* H. L. Meyer, administrator in the estate of Marion Meyer, deceased, has decided that a California wife visiting in England has the same power while in that country over her separate property as she had at any time and that British laws cannot deprive her of it.

Col. C. P. Cunningham, agent of the Alfred Chaplin[illegible]

LONDON'S LATEST SCANDAL.

Prince Albert Victor Infatuated With Lady Churchill.

LONDON, March 26.—Some of the society papers have hinted at a scandal in high London society which affected directly one of the members of the royal family. Everyone here understands and talks freely about what none of the papers have ventured to more than hint at. The story, stripped of all its improbable features, relates to the temporary separation between Lord Randolph Churchill and his wife. It is a question whether this separation will become permanent or not. Lord Randolph Churchill resigned from the cabinet on account of his domestic differences. It is understood that when his wife goes to New York, as she now intends to do within a few weeks, that he will return to London and that a place will again be made for him in the administration. It is said that Lord Churchill is a very vain and irritably jealous individual and that he went off in a fit of rage to the continent on account of having discovered that Prince Albert Victor of Wales, eldest son of the Prince of Wales, was infatuated with Lady Churchill and that his attentions to her had given rise to much talk.

This young prince, who is regarded as the next English king, as everyone thinks that the Queen will outlive the Prince of Wales, is a youth of very feeble mind, and the constant butt of the radical papers. He is only 23, and as such is a typical dude in his manner and dress that is known among radical writers as "collars and cuffs." The young Prince was ordered to Malta just after Lord Churchill's departure. He was detached from the Prince of Wales' Own (Tenth Hussars) and ordered to the Sixtieth Rifles. He left last week under the guardianship of Col. Greville and one other equerry.

This is the first time, it is said, that the heir presumptive to the throne has been sent off on a foreign duty. The young man has evidently been put through a severe course of discipline. He has been lectured by his grandmother, the queen, and his father and mother. The malady of the young prince is regarded simply as a severe case of calf love. Lady Churchill is blamed by no one, beyond the point that she should have perhaps snubbed the young man before he had made such a public exhibition of his sentiment. She evidently was restrained by her regard for his father and mother.

The proof that there is not the slightest blame to be attached to Lady Churchill is shown in the very gracious reception given to her by the queen at the last drawing-room, and by the very marked attentions which have been paid to her by the Prince and Princess of Wales since Lord Churchill's departure. Everyone blames Lord Churchill for his absurd jealousy, and charges his departure to the continent to excessive vanity and irritability. He is the butt of a number of jokes since it has been discovered that he has been quarantined in a small place in Italy for the last month, owing to his passing through an infected rural district in Italy.

RECRUITS FOR CANADA.

Two Brooklyn Merchants Join the Army of Embezzlers.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The Brooklyn *Eagle* says that Edmiston & Waddle, of East Brooklyn, were, until a short time ago, large dealers in carriages and agricultural implements, and known all over the country through their traveling agents. It is believed they have gone to Canada. All their assets have disappeared, as also their books and papers, together with their confidential clerk. The liabilities of the firm are estimated at nearly $200,000. It has been found, so it is said, that $120,000 is owing outside of the $90,000 of discounted paper in the hands of the American Exchange Bank, and $400,000 of collaterals in other banks.

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It is the duty of every person who has used *Boschee's German Syrup* to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Astema, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider it the duty of all Druggists to recommend it to the poor, dying consumptive, at least to try one bottle, as 80,000 dozen bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the *German Syrup* cannot be too widely known. Ask your druggist about it. Sample bottles to try, sold at 10 cents. Regular size, 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers, in the United States and Canada. dw

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THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings of the First Session of the Fifth Parliament.

MONDAY, April 4.

MORNING SESSION.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 11 a. m.

Prayers were read by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge.

REFERRED BACK.

The Delta railway incorporation bill (Mr. Orr) from which the enacting clause had been omitted, was referred back to committee and amended.

VANCOUVER INCORPORATION.

House went into committee on the Vancouver Incorporation Act Amendment bill, Mr. Prior in the chair.

Mr. Dunsmuir said there was no necessity for every city having a special act of incorporation, and he would favor allowing these amendments to lie over for another year, when all the cities of the province could be brought under one general act.

Mr. Higgins moved to insert a clause changing the name of "Vancouver" to "Granville." The honorable mover referred to the perplexity and confusion that had been caused by the adoption of the present title, and said that the discarding of the name "Granville" was an affront to Earl Granville who at the very time the change was made was colonial secretary. He then referred to and read the petition of the B. C. board of trade and the memorial and resolution of the Victoria city council, addressed to the postmaster-general, protesting against the selection of the name of Vancouver, and produced telegraph blanks and envelopes to show that in the map of North America, which appeared thereon, the name of Victoria did not appear at all. It had been simply ignored, while "Vancouver" was printed on the blanks and envelopes in very black type. Was this proper conduct on the part of the C. P. railway company, who got three-fourths of their Pacific coast revenue from Victoria, and still endeavored to show by this disreditable means that there was no such place as Victoria in existence? And who could justly blame the people of this city and Esquimalt if they in their turn were to ignore the company and divert their patronage into a foreign channel? (Oh!) Honorable members might cry "oh," but Victoria was made to occupy a second position to that of Vancouver on the "folder" maps of the railroad company which were placed in the hands of travelers east and west and who were thus led to believe that Victoria had no existence except as a second-rate village. Referring to the legislation of last session the honorable member contended that the Vancouver incorporation bill should never have been passed at all. He would go further and say that the act granting the company 6,000 acres of land for bringing their line down to Coal harbor should not have been passed, and he (Mr. Higgins) heartily regretted the share that he had had in that transaction. The company would have taken the line there without any grant, and the contention that the whole of the land below Port Moody would have reverted to the Dominion Government was rubbish. The Dominion could never have claimed an acre. He believed that in the interest of the people of Vancouver as well as in that of the people of Victoria the name "Vancouver" should be taken away and "Granville" substituted. "Granville" was good enough for any city and too good for some and no person could reasonably object to it.

Mr. Allen did not quite agree with the honorable gentleman. He suggested that the place be called "Higginsville." (Laughter.)

Mr. Higgins—I hope the honorable gentleman will spare my modesty.

Mr. Orr said the name "Vancouver" had been unanimously adopted by the people of that city, and it would be a very great injustice upon them if it were changed. He hoped the good sense of the house would reject the amendment.

Mr. Dunsmuir said he had opposed naming the city Vancouver, but since it had been done he saw no good reason for a change. He was sorry that this matter had been brought up on account of the sectional feeling which it created. Victoria was his home, but he had to say of it that it was one of the most selfish and sectional places in the province.

Members—"No, no, no;" "yes, yes." "you mean Nanaimo," etc.

Mr. Dunsmuir, proceeding, said Victoria wants everything and gives nothing. A number of gentlemen, residents of Victoria, had given the C. P. R. company a large quantity of land owned by them, and it was nothing but right that the company should do something for them. The mainland members had been accused of sectionalism, but they were not nearly so much so as some of those representing the island.

Hon. Mr. Robson was sorry the house had treated this amendment in a serious manner, as it was certainly intended for a 1st of April joke, and he had hoped that that day having passed the good taste and good judgment of the honorable gentleman would have prevented him from introducing it.

Mr. Ladner said the people of Vancouver were perfectly satisfied with the name and no confusion resulted from it.

Mr. T. Davie did not consider that the amendment had been introduced with intention of doing Vancouver any harm; in fact, any such intention had been disclaimed by the introducer. For many reasons the proposed change was very desirable, and whether it was back to Granville, "Higginsville," or anything else, it would not affect private interests.

Mr. Semlin said when the name of the place was "Granville," he was in favor of retaining that name, but since this house had decided to change it to "Vancouver" he was equally well prepared to support it. There were already some half-a-dozen cities in the Dominion and Australia named Victoria, which were just as likely to create confusion as the multiplicity of Vancouvers.

Mr. Croft—Will the hon. gentleman state where the city Victoria is in Australia?

Mr. Semlin—"I mean the colony of Victoria." Continuing he claimed that the mover of the amendment had made a more intensely sectional speech as he had ever heard a mainland member make. But while the island members were intensely sectional, they had no objection to mainland money being spent in their districts.

Mr. Higgins said he hoped that the honorable member who proposed to call Vancouver "Higginsville" would spare his feelings—would have some regard for his native bashfulness. (Roars of laughter.)

his name bestowed on the young town, but the people should first be consulted. They might object to so uneuphonious a name being given when there was so euphonious a name as Granville unemployed. (Laughter.) He always gave the C. P. R. credit for their enterprise, pluck and ability in building the line. They were beyond praise; but they had acted badly—very badly—in appropriating a name which belongs to another locality, and then adding insult to injury by ignoring Victoria on their blanks and reducing Vancouver Island to a mere speck on the map without a name. The map, indeed, looked as if a fly had alighted on it and after leaving its mark had passed on. (Laughter.) He disclaimed all idea of sectionalism in bringing forward this matter, and denied that he had threatened the C. P. R. with the withdrawal of Victoria and Esquimalt patronage if they did not change the name of their town. What he had asked was who could blame those people if they were to treat the company as they had been treated, by ignoring it and sending their trade elsewhere. He would regret such a course as much as he did the attitude of the company towards the island. The honorable senior member for Yale had accused him of sectionalism. He (Mr. Higgins) had never heard a more sectional speech than that honorable member had delivered at the opening of the session when the drydock refund was under discussion, one dollar of that refund he (Mr. Semlin) had denied to the island. There were too many Vancouvers—Vancouver district, Vancouver diocese, Vancouver Island, Vancoaver, W.T., Vancouver city. Honorable members should endeavor to repair the damage that had already been done by the appropriation of the name; might he not call it an "outrage?" An honorable member—Yes.) Well, outrage be it then. (Laughter and hear.) He scouted the idea of the provincial secretary that this motion was intended as an April fool joke. There was many a true word said in jest, and this was one of them. He was in earnest and sincerely hoped the motion would prevail.

Mr. Mason asked members of the house through the chair to discontinue what he had to call a silly debate, and to get on with the business of the house. The discussion might be very good for city members, but it certainly was not for those from the country who were anxious to get home.

Mr. Grant had voted for the name Vancouver and had no intention of changing his mind.

The amendment was defeated on the following division:

Yeas—Higgins, Turner, Beaven and T. Davie.

Noes—Robson, Martin, Croft, Thomson, Dunsmuir, Baker, Allen, A. E. B. Davie, Orr, McLeese, Mason, Cowan, Anderson, Ladner, Stenhouse, Grant and Semlin.

Committee reported and the house adjourned at 1 o'clock for one hour.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House convened at 2 p. m., and went into committee on the Vancouver Bill.

Mr. T. Davie objected to the time of the house being taken up at every session to enable Vancouver to have a special Act of incorporation. Vancouver no more required a special Act than other municipalities. He moved that the committee rise.

The committee passed the majority of the thirty-three clauses of the bill when Mr. T. Davie moved a clause providing that the act of incorporation might be repealed by order of the lieutenant-governor in council.

After some discussion the mover consented to withdraw the amendment. Bill was finally reported complete with amendments.

CHARITABLE FUND.

House went into adjourned committee on the Victoria Fire Department Charitable Association bill.

Mr. Turner's amendment providing that the fund should be divided among the members of the association according to the number of month's service by each was moved.

Mr. Prior moved in amendment to the amendment that the fund be divided in such manner as may be decided upon at a regularly called meeting of the members of the association.

Mr. Grant contended that the fund could not be divided equitably according to the time of service. Young members had paid all the fines in late years and besides the number of fires had been far greater during the last five years than previously.

On division Mr. Turner's amendment was carried.

Bill was finally reported complete with amendments.

TRESPASS.

House went into committee on Mr. Anderson's bill to prevent trespass on enclosed lands in pursuit of game.

Mr. Beaven moved that the committee rise.

Mr. Dunsmuir said if clause 1, which provided that any person carrying a gun shall not trespass at any time upon enclosed lands was passed he need not return to his district.

Hon. Mr. Robson said by a law already on the statutes a person was a trespasser the moment he went on enclosed lands. The farmers should have some protection from the injury and annoyance to which they have long been subjected. It being near 6 o'clock the committee reported and asked leave to sit again.

COURT OF APPEAL.

Mr. T. Davie introduced a bill to establish a court of appeal from the summary decision of magistrates.

Bill read a first time.

House rose at 6 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 8 o'clock.

The consideration of the

TRESPASS BILL

was resumed in committee. Mr. Anderson said the measure was very much desired in his district, in fact, he had not heard one word against it, but in view of the lateness of the session he would consent to withdraw it. He moved that the committee rise.

The adjourned debate on Mr. Grant's resolution respecting the protection of the

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hunting seal in Behring Sea came next on the orders of the day. The preamble was amended and the resolution passed.

IMBECILES AND DRUNKARDS.

Mr. T. Davie's bill respecting the protection of the civil rights of imbeciles

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THE EXPANSION OF FRANCE.

Under this title *Le Petite Journal*, of Paris, the influence of whose utterances may be gauged by the fact that it addresses each day 925,000 subscribers, and at least three times as many readers, publishes an account of the expansion of France in Canada, which is worthy of note. It runs:—

Those who still deny to the French people the aptitude for colonization will do well to study the astonishing increase of our race in Canada, which not only penetrates more and more into the Anglo-Saxon element but even invades in all directions the territories set aside for colonization by the Dominion government, and even spreads itself over the United States. For, feeling themselves confined in the province of Quebec, the French-Canadian people is swarming little by little into the region of the Laurentides. Some explorers have gone beforehand to study the country and to choose locations. The expansion of France—and do not let us forget that in truth the Canadians are of French blood—grows incessantly, approaching even to the English territories of Ontario and the solitudes of Manitoba, though distant some 300 or 400 leagues from Canada properly so called. These Canadians are penetrating into the United States, where their number is no less than 400,000 or 500,000, attracted for the most part in their capacity as workmen by the great manufacturers of those regions where labour is wanted. Here they form themselves into communities over the whole country, and thus has arisen the demand for doctors, lawyers, journalists, Canadian schoolmasters, and builders of churches, schools and clubs. Each community maintains its close relations with its native country, appeals to emigrants, and protects and strengthens them, establishes everywhere its French society and spreads the French language. Little by little this Canadian race is taking stronger root, and thanks to its solidity, to its great moral force, and to the simplicity of its manners, it is conquering gradually and peacefully the country which it might have appeared should remain the exclusive possession of the British race. In the Plata in the south, and in Canada in the north the Celto-Latin race will—we say it with all due deference to interested calumniators or short-sighted pessimists—be prepared to play its part and hold its place on the new continent as on the old.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

The recent visit of De Lesseps to Berlin and the reported offer of a two-fifth interest in the Panama canal to the German government have caused an impression that the financial outlook for the canal is not bright. When the last loan of nearly $100,000,000 was effected, it was supposed that the company was tided over the crisis and that any subsequent loan that might be called for would be made when the work was so nearly completed that bondholders would be given assurance of final success. It appears, however, that $100,000,000 does not go far in actual work on the Panama canal. To begin with, the nominal loan of $91,000,000 only realized $42,000,000. This may seem incredible, but so far from being so, the fact that $42,005,000 was secured at all is considered remarkable. It was the fourth loan, and completed an indebtedness of $275,000,000. The New York *Times* sums up the financial transactions of the company as follows:

The obligations are in capital shares and bonds. The 600,000 shares of capital stock, $100 each, now reported to be paid up, yielded $59,000,000. The first loan, face value $25,000,000, yielded $21,875,000. The second, face value $60,000,000, at three per cent, issued at forty-three per cent discount, yielded $34,200,000. The third, a four per cent loan of $38,738,700, was issued at thirty-three per cent discount, and from it $25,800,000 was obtained. The fourth, known as the lottery loan, yielded $41,292,180, with an obligation of $91,760,400. These obligations amount to more than $275,000,000 and have yielded less than $183,000,000 in cash for the company's use. They carry an annual interest charge of more than $11,000,000.

The fourth or lottery loan is now said to be exhausted. The estimate now is that two more loans of the same amount will be needed; $180,000,000 added to $275,000,000 approaches the half billion so closely that the difference is not noticeable. But there is no certainty that the two additional loans will complete the canal. Estimates of the cost of the work have so far been mere guesses. The same men are still guessing. It is as expensive to stand still as to work. In fact standing still consumes most of the proceeds of the several loans. To an annual interest account of $11,000,000 there are two charges to be added—$2,000,000 for annual charges and expenses for service of the debt, and $2,000,000 for the annual administration expenses at Paris and Panama. It is also said that $300,000 is set apart for the annual payment of an American committee. This last item is in the nature of a blind charge, but it is accepted by the *Times* as correct. It costs therefore $15,000,000 a year to stand still. How much is paid out for actual work, purchases of machinery and material may be found in the difference between $15,000,000 and the total expenditures of the last year. These expenditures are not known exactly, but it is less than a year since the fourth loan, from which about $42,000,000 was realized, has been at the disposal of the company. There is probably considerable truth in the report that the German government did not accept M. de Lesseps offer of a two-fifths interest in the canal. If any government takes any portion of the stock of a company in such a financial condition as the Panama canal, it will clearly be for political purposes. The value of the canal in the hands of a single power in the event of

Pacific cannot be estimated, but as a purely commercial enterprise it is already overweighed with debt.

MR. MERCIER, it is stated, refuses to amend the Quebec education laws, and will content himself this season with a consolidation. Both the Protestants and Ultramontanes are asked for changes; the former with a view to lessening the hardships under which they labor, and the latter with a view to increasing them. Mr. Mercier was once favorable to the liberalizing to a slight extent of the educational laws, but he is now governed by the reactionaries, and, as with the legislative council question, so with that of education, he must oppose his own convictions or lose office in an attempt to enforce them.

THE relative values of a wife and a husband have been fixed by Her Majesty's petit jurors for the County of Simcoe, Ontario. A wife left her husband and took up her residence with her parents. The husband sued his father-in-law for abducting the lady, claiming damages. The case was ably argued, and the damages were assessed at $100. This was the value of a wife. A young woman who had received and accepted an offer of marriage from one of the honest yeomen of the county, sued the young man for non-fulfilment of his contract. She recovered $25,000. This was the value of a husband. Upon what basis the market prices were fixed does not appear. It is to be borne in mind, though, that the jurors are of the male persuasion; and further, that in all probability they are married. They may, therefore, have been slightly prejudiced against the opposite sex.

GENERAL BOULANGER'S great popularity in France is due not so much to the fact that he has strengthened the army in point of numbers, for other war ministers had as strong an army as he, but to his art in bringing the military system to bear upon European politics. For many years the annual manœuvres of the French army attracted no attention, and military experts spoke with contempt of the impaired prestige of the staff and the country's lack of preparation even for a war of defence. Under General Boulanger's administration the army has regained its prestige. The discipline and *morale* of the rank and file, the spirit and ambition of the officers and the timely accumulation of vast stores of war material have been talked about throughout the continent. Germany has been alarmed by the forward state of her rival's preparations for a campaign. These evidences that a military prestige which once set the continent aflame has not burned out please the French people, and General Boulanger is a popular hero.

THE slaughter of red deer in the province of Ontario, and of caribou, in the province of Quebec, has during this winter been very great. The snow which fell in January had a crust upon it during the greater part of that month sufficiently strong to carry a man on snow-shoes, but through which the hoofs of the deer broke. All through "the back townships" of Ontario this was taken advantage of by scores of hunters, and in many districts so deep was the snow through which the deer had to plunge that it was possible to run them down and kill them with an axe. The depth of snow, by preventing the deer from getting at their usual food, drove them into the vicinity of the lumbermen's shanties and the outlying settlements for food, and quite a number were actually killed in barnyards. This wholesale slaughter has resulted in a plethora of venison in all the markets, and the price realized for it towards the end of the season was so low that it hardly compensated the hunter for his powder and shot. The same condition of things has prevailed in the caribou county. The game laws, as they at present exist, do not allow of a stop being put to this useless slaughter. What is needed is a law preventing the killing of deer and Caribou during the months of December and January, as well as February and March. As a result of this year's slaughter the deer have been exterminated, it is believed, in several districts in Ontario.

THE London Fire Brigade seems a very small one for so large a city. Captain Shaw's last annual report to the metropolitan board of works places its strength at 539 men. Of these 113 do day duty, 244 are on at night, and 182 form a reserve for general work at fires. During the year 1886, without counting false alarms, there were 2,149 calls in cases whish resulted in actual damage. The engines attached to the land stations made 32,832 journeys and used ten million gallons of water. The general total gives an average of twelve calls a day. As in an army, however, the fighting is the lightest part of the labor, as the brigade is busily engaged at all times. It is constantly on the alert, and kept in 1886 as many as 130,305 watches of twelve hours each. It is now proposed to increase the strength of the force, and the *Times* recently said of the proposition: "If an extension of the force Captain Shaw leads allowed it to repeat in any degree in the positive extinction of fires the success it at present attains in the prohibition of trespasses by the flames on adjoining tenements, the gain would balance the charge in a week."

B. B. B.—In Working Order.

"My husband was troubled with dyspepsia for more than four years. Two experienced physicians did him no good. We got discouraged until we read of Burdock Blood Bitters; he took only two bottles and now is as well as ever, and doing heavy work all the time." Mrs. Richard Rowe, Harley, Ont., B. B. B. has cured the worst cases of chronic dyspepsia.

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitudes of low test, short-weight alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co.

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J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

Thursday, April 7, 1887

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

We will Sell at PUBLIC AUCTION, at Salesroom, Wharf Street,

Boots and Shoes

MENS'---Top, Kip Lace, Calf Lace, Dongola Kid, Codoran, Buffalo Kid, Oxford Boots and Shoes, Gaiters, Ties.

BOYS'---Button and Lace Boots.

MISSES---French Kid, Button, Goat Lace, Shoes, Langtry Bals. Kid Fox Buttoned Laced Bals.

CHILDREN'S---Buff, Button, Kid Shoes.

German Slippers, and Ladies' Kid Slippers.

UNDERCLOTHING, ETC.

Hosiery, Crineau, Shirts, Cardigan Jackets, Ladies' Kid Gloves.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
mar29 Auctioneer.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Through JOSHUA DAVIES, Auctioneer.

Valuable Property

—IN THE—

CITY OF VICTORIA,

And Districts of Victoria, Sooke and New Westminster.

FORT HOPE.

—IN THE—

Supreme Court of British Columbia

pursuant to an order made in an action.

Naylor, v. Jackson, and others, with the approbation of the Judge, I will sell at

SALESROOM, WHARF STREET

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, 11th of MAY, 1887

AT NOON,

The FREEHOLD & other PROPERTY

belonging to the Estate of the late

HENRY RHODES, ESQ.

Plans, containing particulars and Conditions of Sale in a few days.

JAMES C. PREVOST, Registrar.

March 16th, 1887.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
mar17 Auctioneer.

IN THE SUPREME COURT

—OF—

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

GOETZ v. LOO CHEW FAN, LOO CHOCK, Trading as Kwong Lee & Co.

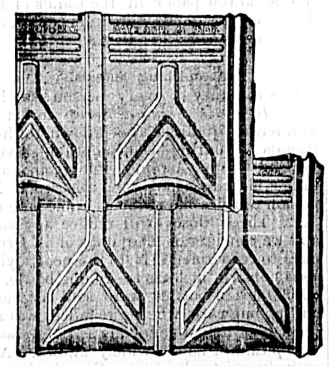
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court, made herein, and dated the day of February, A. D. 1887, with the approbation of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, there will be sold by Public Auction at the rooms of George Byrnes, Auctioneer, Fort St., Victoria, on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in 3 lots. The right and title, equity of redemption, and all other the interests of the defendants in the following property Lots:—

Lot 20, Block I, Town of Barkerville.
Part of Lot 5, Block II, Town of Fort Yale.
Part of Lot 11, Block II, Town of Quesnellemouth.
Lot 16, Block II, Town of Quesnellemouth.
Lot 1, Block III, Town of Quesnellemouth.
Lot City of New Westminster.
Lots 586, 587, 588, 594, 595, 596 and one half (West) of 589, Victoria City.
Lot 532, Victoria City.
Lot 597, Victoria City.
Lot 598, Victoria City.
Westerly ½ of Lot 441, Victoria City.
Lot 454, Victoria City.
Lot 445, Victoria City.
Lot 438 and Westerly ½ of 439, Victoria.
Lot 7, Block IV., Town of Yale.
Lot 7, Block II, Town of Yale.
Lot 8, Block II, Town of Yale.
Lot 9, Block II, Town of Yale.

Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had of the Auctioneer, of Eberts & Taylor, Langley Street, Victoria, Solicitors.

(Signed) GEORGE BYRNES,
mar26 Auctioneer.

Walters' Patent Metallic Shingles



They make the most durable metal roof known. They make the cheapest metal roof known. They are attractive in appearance. They lessen your insurance. They are one-third the weight of wood. They are one-ninth the weight of slate. They can be put on by ordinary workmen. A good roof is as important as a good foundation.

Send for circulars and references. Sole manufacturers in Canada,

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Cor. River and Gerrard Sts., Toronto, Ont.
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Books just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.—Jess, by Haggard; Springhaven, Blackmore; Golden Hope, Clarke Russell; Merry Men, by Stephenson; Fair God

DRY GOODS.

BOYS' ENGLISH JERSEY SUITS for $2.25, never before Equalled at the Price, for Sale

AT RUSSELL, McDONALD & CO'S.

ENGLISH HOUSE

Cor. Blanchard & Fort Sts.

MILLINERY

THURSDAY, the 24th INSTANT

—WILL BE—

OPENING DAY

—AT—

THE WHITE HOUSE

The new SPRING STYLES will be on exhibition in our SHOW ROOM on Thursday next.

All interested are invited to inspect. No trouble to show the Goods, in fact it will give us pleasure to show them as they are very beautiful.

Hutcheson, Young & Co.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 19th, 1887. mar20

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BROWN & WHITE

STILL CONTINUE THEIR

CASH SALE OF DRY GOODS

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10 Per Cent. Discount is Given ON ALL CASH SALES.

The valuable Good Will and Lease of the premises is for Sale, together with the whole or par of Stock. This is a good opportunity for a profitable business investment.

no14-6m BROWN & WHITE.

A Fine Line of SPRING OVERCOATING

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BOOT AND SHOE

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HOSIERY, GLOVES,

SCARFS,

&c., &c.

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LADIES---At 60c., 80c., $1.00, $1.25 and Upwards.

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MRS. JAMES JACK,
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Some lovely Fancy Birds and splendid Singing Canaries for Sale at HOWARD'S HOTEL, Esquimalt.
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FOR SALE CHEAP.

ONE SPAN OF HEAVY WORK HORSES. Weight, 2,940 pounds, 7 and 8 years old. The undersigned having leased his ranch for a term of years, has no further use for them. Address by mail or in person
JOHN RINES,
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PURCHASE, SELL AND LEASE PROperty, Collect Rents, make Loans on Mortgage and transact all business relating to

REAL ESTATE.

Maps, showing the various districts on the Island and Mainland, the situation of desirable City Lots, Homesteads, Gardening and Farm Lands, can be consulted at their office. fe14

FOR SALE.

1 Span of Heavy Draught Horses with Wagon and Harness, 1 Horse with Dump Cart and Harness, and 1 Bay Driving Horse, 4 years old, with Dog Cart and Harness.

These will be sold together or separately.

A. G. RYAN,
Humboldt Street.
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THE CLARENCE

Corner Yates and Douglas Streets,
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FRANK G. RICHARDS, JR., - Lessee

TOURISTS' HEADQUARTERS; First-Class in every respect. New and Elegant in all its appointments. Prices moderate. oc14-1y

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On American or European Plan.

FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY APPOINTMENT. Centrally located; coaches to and from every steamer; the comfort of guests closely cared for; prices to suit. a fine restaurant in the building.
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Belvidere Restaurant,

Moody's Block, Yates St.

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MEALS FROM 15 CENTS, UPWARDS.

☞ Beer, Ale and Porter served with Meals.
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Private Board and Lodging House

Corner of Pandora Avenue and Quadra St.,

Board by the Meal, Day or Week.
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THE STARR

KIDNEY PAD.

To Relieve the Suffering.

VICTORIA, Nov. 11th, 1886.

I hereby certify that after being troubled with pain in the small of my back during severa years, I applied one of the Starr Kidney Pad and was very shortly relieved.

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For sale by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine in British Columbia.

LANGLEY & COMP'Y,

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R. B. RICHARDSON, Cowichan;
A. M. HERRING, } New Westminster.
D. S. CURTIS & Co. }
T. McNEELEY, Ladner's Landing
H. McDOWELL, Vancouver;
VANCOUVER DRUG Co., Vancouver
W. E. McCARTNEY & BRO., Vancouver and Kamloops
CLARKE & Co., Kamloops;
sell 2p W. R. MEGAW, Priest Valley

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

PACIFIC COAST S.S. CO.

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EVERY SATURDAY FOR SAN FRANCISCO,

Leaving the outer wharf at ONE o'clock, p.m.

April 2nd, - - MEXICO

Shippers must notify us when room for freigh is required.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Wharf Street, Victoria, Agents
13th December, 1886. del4

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

BARQUE "VIOLA," CAPTAIN PRICE from London.

This vessel will discharge cargo at our Wharf on Monday, 21st inst., and following days.

Consignees of cargo are requested to present their Bills of Lading to the undersigned, sign Average Bond and receive delivery orders for their goods on payment of freight.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day and while on the wharf will be at the risk of the owners thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.
19th March, 1887. mar20-1w

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

BARQUE "ALDEN BESSE," CAPTAIN O'Brien, from Hong Kong.

This vessel will discharge cargo at our wharf on Saturday, 26th instant, and following days.

Consignees of cargo are requested to present their Bills of Lading to the undersigned and receive delivery orders for their goods on payment of Freight.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day and while on the wharf will be at the risk of the owners thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Vessel.
25th March, 1887. mar26-1w

Canadian Pacific NAVIGATION COMPANY, (LIMITED)

Time Table No. 6, Takes Effect March 20th, 1887

BURRARD INLET ROUTE

VICTORIA TO—

PORT MOODY AND VANCOUVER, Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock

MOODYVILLE AND HASTINGS, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 o'clock.

PORT MOODY TO VICTORIA, Daily except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.

VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA, Daily, except Monday at 12:30 o'clock.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.

LEAVE VICTORIA—

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER LANDING AND LULU ISLAND, Sunday, Wednesday and Friday, a 7 o'clock.

PLUMPER PASS, Wednesday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA, Monday at 13 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

FOR PLUMPER PASS, Thursday, at 7 o'clock.

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER—

FOR HOPE, CHILLIWHACK, SUMAS & WAY LANDINGS.

LEAVE HOPE FOR NEW WESTMINSTER AND WAY PLACES.

LEAVE CHILLIWHACK.

☞ Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 15 minutes faster than Victoria time.

NOTICE—Freight left on wharf in Victoria 24 hours after arrival, will be stored at risk owners or consignees.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING Manager.
March 17th. jy25

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.

Going North. READ DOWN.	STATIONS.	Going South READ UP.
No. 2 PASSENGER DAILY.		No. 1 PASSENGER DAILY.
De. 8.20 A.M.	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	Ar. 4.40
" 8.30	ESQUIMALT	" 4.30
" 8.55	GOLDSTREAM	" 4.05
" 9.50	SHAWNIGAN L'K E	" 3.10
" 10.00	COBBLE HILL	" 3.00
" 10.15	MPHERSON'S	" 2.45
" 10.25	KOKSILAH	" 2.35
" 10.30	DUNCAN'S	" 2.30
" 10.40	SOMENOS	" 2.20
" 11.02	CHEMAINUS	" 1.58
Ar. 12.00	NANAIMO	De. 1.00

THE SPECIAL TRAIN FORMERLY RUNning on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays is withdrawn.

Until further notice RETURN TICKETS GOOD FOR THREE DAYS will be issued daily between all stations for one and a-half ordinary fare.

H. K. PRIOR,
Freight and Passenger Agt,
R. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Superintendent.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R.R. Express

ON AND AFTER MARCH 1ST, 1887, ALL Packages or Parcels for transportation over this Railway not exceeding 50 lbs. in weight nor measuring more than three cubic feet, will be received and receipted for at the Company's Office in Redfern's Block, on Government Street.

Money and valuable packages forwarded. Collections made, and a general Express business transacted. no

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Through Second Class Sleepers FREE OF CHARGE.

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☞ When Going East, Purchase Tickets by this Line.

☞ Mark and Consign your Freight via C. P. Railway. Lowest Rates, No Transfers.

For Tickets, Sleeping Car Berths, and all information, apply at office of

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whose Steamers make close daily connection with all through trains.

GEO. V. HEATHCOTE, Contracting Agent. D. R. MUNRO, Ticket Agent.

LORD CHURCHILL,

Makes Up Again With His American Wife—He Returns to His Hearth and Home.

LONDON, March 28.—Lord Randolph Churchill arrived in London late last night. It is reported that he has recovered from his fit of domestic spleen, and through the influence of the Queen and Prince and Princess of Wales, has become reconciled again to his wife. None of the most malignant of the gossips remotely intimate that there was any cause for his running away to the continent, and now that he is back, the papers are full of paragraphs of exorbitant joy over his return.

PRINCE ALBERT VICTOR

Too Fond of London Gaiety and Princess Mary of Teck.

LONDON, March 28.—The reason, it is said, why Prince Albert Victor was sent to Gibraltar was that the Prince of Wales found his son taking a great fancy to the gaieties of London society, and also that he had fallen in love with the Princess Mary of Teck, the prettiest princess in the royal family, but who was disapproved of by the Queen and by the Princess of Wales.

A HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS.

The Controversy Between De Lesseps and Lord Alcester.

LONDON, March 27.—The De Lesseps-Alcester controversy is one of the most curious in recent times. Lord Alcester, commanding the English naval forces in 1882, had given him a check for £100,000, as compensation for the damage done to the Suez canal, after which De Lesseps had placed the administration of the canal at the disposal of the English. This Lord Alcester denied, and De Lesseps reaffirmed the receipt of the check or draft for that sum on the Bank of England. Lord Alcester to-day published a long statement with various letters from the official concerned, showing clearly that no such check or draft was ever presented or paid, and denying in express terms that this or any other sum was ever given by him for the alleged or any other purpose. Further explanations are awaited from De Lesseps, but Lord Alcester's word is beyond question.

PUNISHING A PRIEST.

Rev. J. Curran, a staunch friend and former assistant of the deposed priest, Dr. McGlynn, appeared with the latter at Jones' Wood, New York, on St. Patrick's Day. For this he was sent to Ellenville, New York, to reflect on his contumacy in appearing in public with a priest in disgrace. Dr. Curran did not profit by the hint, however, and came down on the right of Dr. McGlynn's lecture and appeared on the platform with him. For this Curran has been ordered into the solitary retreat of Hoboken, with fasts and penance for ten days. At the palace of Archbishop Corrigan it was intimated that the parishioners of St. Stephen's would do well to take the hint lest they suffer excommunication. The punishment of Dr. Curran is taken as evidence that Bishop Corrigan's course toward Dr. McGlynn has the approval of Rome. The parishioners of St. Stephen's are excited over the affair and propose to hold meetings in Dr. Curran's support as they have in Dr. McGlynn's.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

Put freshly baked cakes away as soon as cold in a closely covered cake box.

A soapy dish-cloth should never be put inside a teapot or a coffeepot.

Set a dish of water in the oven with cake when baking, and it will seldom scorch.

Do not put salt into soup, until you are done skimming it, as salt will stop the rising of the scum.

Wash ironware outside as well as inside, in hot soapy water, then rinse in clear hot water and wipe dry with a dry crash towel.

Tins should be washed in clean, hot, soapy water, and rubbed freely with mineral soap. This will keep them as bright as new.

Two apples kept in the cake box will keep moderately rich cake moist for a great length of time, if the apples are renewed when withered.

Never put a good knife into hot grease, as it destroys its sharpness. Have always at hand a kitchen-fork for turning meat or frying potatoes.

Granite dishes, browned by use, may be cleaned by simply letting them remain about half an hour in boiling soda-water, then rubbing with a stiff brush or iron cloth.

Never put pots and kettles on the stove half filled with water for the purpose of soaking loose whatever may be adhered to them, as it has a contrary effect. Put plenty of cold water in them, and keep them away from the stove.

The cleanest and most perfectly polished floors have no water used on them. They are simply rubbed off every morning with a large flannel cloth, which is soaked in kerosene oil once in two or three weeks. Shake the dust out of the cloth, and with a rubbing brush or stubby broom go rapidly up and down the planks (not across them). After a few rubbings the floor will assume a polished appearance that is not easily defaced by dirt or footprints.

HOW TO TEST POTATOES,

A good potato, when cut, will show a light cream color, and a white froth will be the result produced by rubbing the cut surfaces together. Reject the variety where drops of water appear. Another test is to put potatoes into a solution of salt; the good will sink, the poor float.

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What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that *Green's August Flower*, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of *August Flower* will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it. dw

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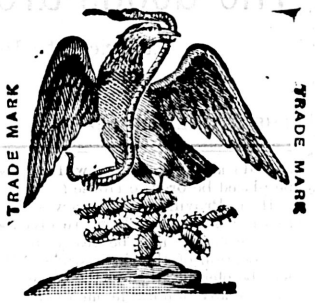

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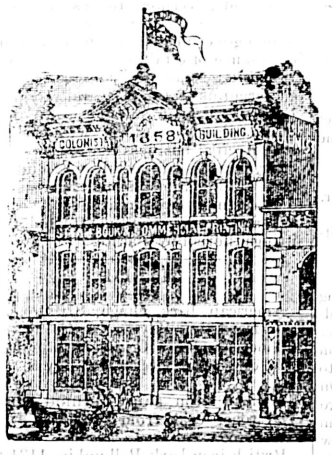

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NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ADMITTED AS A Partner in the Pritchard House, WILLIAM G. STEVENSON, late of the "Nickle Plate" Saloon, and the firm will hereafter be known as Tait & Stevenson. J. R. TAIT.

Victoria, March 22nd, 1887. mar23

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESponsible for any debts contracted by their employees, except by a written order.

GRAY & DUMBLETON.

March 12th, 1887. mar13-1m

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. W. Williams, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO OR HAVing any claims against this Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness and send particulars of their claims to the Executor, Mr. Wm. Wilson (Clothier), Victoria.

Dated 23rd February, 1887.

S. PERRY MILLS,
Solicitor for Executor.

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NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT EDMUND J. J. Kelly and William H. Kelly, trading as Kelly Bros., at the City of New Westminster, have this day assigned all their real and personal estate to Messrs. S. J. Pitts, John Wilson and F. G. Simpson, in trust for the creditors of the said Kelly Bros.

Creditors are requested to send their claims to Mr. S. J. Pitts, Victoria, forthwith.

Dated March 5th, 1887.

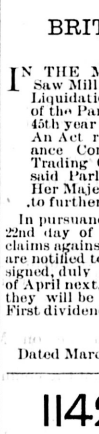
S. PERRY MILLS, of Victoria; and CORBOULD & MCCOLL, of New Westminster; Solicitors for Trustees. mar8

NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Victoria will be held at the Court House, Cowichan, on Wednesday, the 13th day of April next.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
14th March, 1887. mar19-td



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THE CREDITORS OF WILLIAM FULLER, of the 105 Mile House, in the Province of British Columbia, deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of August, A. D. 1886, and all others having claims against his estate, are hereby notified to send by post, pre-paid, or otherwise deliver to Wm. Abel, administrator of the estate and effects of the said deceased at Lac La Hache, on or before the First day of May, A. D. 1887, their Christian names, surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, and in default thereof and immediately after the said first day of May, the assets of the said William Fuller will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims, of which notice shall have been given as above required.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors to WM. ABEL.

Dated at Lac La Hache, this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1887. mar27-1m

In the Supreme Court

—OF—

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

IN THE MATTER OF THE DOMINION Saw Mill Company, (Limited) a Company in Liquidation. And in the matter of an Act of the Parliament of Canada, passed in the 45th year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled An Act respecting Insolvent Banks, Insurance Companies, Building Societies and Trading Corporations. And An Act of the said Parliament passed in the 49th year of Her Majesty's reign C. 46, intituled An Act to further amend the said Act.

In pursuance of an order made herein on the 22nd day of March, 1887, all persons having claims against the Dominion Saw Mill Company are notified to send in their claims to the undersigned, duly proved, on or before the 11th day of April next, and in default of their so doing they will be debarred from any share in the First dividend to be declared.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar Supreme Court.

Dated March 29th, 1887. mar29

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CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General.
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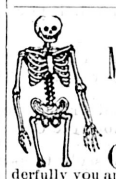

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Bazaar and Entertainment.

The ladies of the Gorge road Methodist church will hold their bazaar in the school room of the Pandora street Methodist church on Tuesday and Wednesday the 12th and 13th April, where a number of useful and fancy articles will be offered for sale. On Tuesday evening a promenade concert will be held for which a good programme has been provided. Dinner served from 12 to 2 o'clock;

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Baseball.

A match game of baseball will be played on Beacon hill between the Amities and a picked nine Good Friday.

Delayed.

The steamer Yosemite did not get away until 10 o'clock Sunday morning, owing to the heavy freight which she had to discharge.

For the Jubilee Hospital.

Court Vancouver, No. 5755, Ancient Order of Foresters, at the regular meeting last evening, voted the sum of $200 toward the Jubilee hospital fund.

Sent to the Mainland.

Ah Jim, the Chinaman who was up before the police magistrate on Saturday morning on a charge of obtaining $275 by fraud at New Westminster, was sent up on Sunday morning to stand his trial at that city.

Supreme Court Proceedings.

The argument in the case of Bell *vs.* Nelson and others, was heard yesterday morning, after which the court adjourned until 11 o'clock to-day. Mr. Taylor appeared for the appellant and Mr. Bodwell for respondents.

Baptist Church.

At the Baptist church on Sunday evening a number of ladies and gentlemen received the right hand of fellowship from the pastor, Rev. Mr. Barss, who preached a particularly able sermon. At the close of the service a young lady was baptised, when the Lord's Supper was dispensed.

Coroner's Inquest.

An inquest on the body of the dead Chinaman who was found hanging from a limb on Coun. B. W. Pearse's property was held by Coroner Jackson yesterday morning. The jury returned a verdict of death by suicide. The members of the jury were: Foreman, Neil Campbell, John Foard, A. Van Sicles, A. Cameron, James James and John Wessel.

A Dangerous Carpenter.

Wm. Morse, carpenter on board the British bark Viola, now discharging cargo at Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf, was arrested at the instance of Capt. Price and charged with assaulting the steward. It is said he was very drunk at the time, and drove an adze deep into a door behind which the steward had concealed himself. Mr. Johnson fined the man $20, or in default two months' imprisonment. The arrest was effected by Officers Hawton and Hoosen.

The Dead Premier.

On Sunday morning, at St. James' church, the Very Rev. Archdeacon Scriven, at the conclusion of his sermon, adverted in fitting and touching terms to the death of the late lamented premier, recognizing the loss sustained by the congregation, the community and the country, and expressing the earnest hope that the example set by the departed, both in private and public life, for honorable and conscientious dealing might be widely copied. Many in the congregation were deeply moved during the delivery of the remarks.

Sunday Fires.

A fire in the roof of Mr. Uriah Nelson's residence on Sunday at noon caused an alarm to be sounded from the Tiger Engine house. The firemen were prompt in attendance, but their services were not required as the flames were extinguished by a few buckets of water.

The roof of Willis Bond's residence, on View street, was discovered to be on fire later in the day. No alarm was sounded, as the neighbors turned out and drenched the burning shingles with water, which soon put the fire out.

Puget Sound Directory.

R. L. Polk & Co., one of the largest directory publishers of the United States, has an agent in this city taking names for a business directory of Victoria. This is to be published in the new book to be issued by that firm, which will embrace a full city and business directory of all the towns on the Sound, with names of all the taxpayers of the twelve counties bordering on the Sound. This is the first attempt at a directory of that section by itself, and as Victoria is quite intimately related to that territory the request has been made that our city be included. There is every reason to expect that the work will be thorough and complete.

The "West Shore."

The current number of the *West Shore* excels itself. The West has long been looking for a magazine to fill the wide field opened for it. This the neat publication before us does, and we are promised better things in the future. Mr. L. Samuels, the publisher, is now in the city and informs us that he has in preparation an exhaustive article entitled "British Columbia by Rail and Water," which will shortly be published in the magazine. It will be profusely illustrated with fine engravings and no expense has been spared in portraying in their true characters the beauties and resources of this favored province. The *West Shore* has deservedly a large circulation and turns out only first-class work. Mr. Samuel's enterprise deserves recognition and it is to be his hoped his venture will meet with the reward it deserves.

Caught in the Act.

Officer Robb has made himself a friend of all theatre-goers. On Friday night he was stationed in the "gods" at The Victoria, and with an eagle-eye took in everything unseemly that was going on. The men and boys on the whole behaved themselves with decorum for a long time, and the officer was beginning to think that his services in that locality were not needed, when he suddenly saw a hand raised and a large roll of paper thrown on the heads of some people sitting in the parquette. He immediately took the name of the offender, and on Saturday summoned Walter Dempster to appear before the magistrate yesterday, which he did. His honor gave him a deserved lecture, and compelled him to pay the costs, which amounted to $2. A repetition of the offense will not be overlooked, and a few such examples made in the police court will rid the "gods" of all unseemly rowdyism.

Slaughter of the Innocents.

Those blood thirsty propensities which are common to members of all houses and which generally develope to a dangerous degree at the close of a long session manifested themselves in the legislature last evening in a very marked manner. As if at a given signal, the innocents were ruthlessly set upon and a wholesale and complete slaughter of every bill on the notice paper seemed imminent. One member having lost his bill determined to take a terrible revenge, and with blood in his eye forthwith set about to compass the defeat of somebody else's pet measure. The senior member for Nanaimo, the junior member for Victoria and one or two other cool headed members who understood the destructive nature of the house once it has tasted blood managed to save a few

Government House.

As Government House is undergoing repairs Mrs. Nelson will be unable to receive visitors until the work is completed.

Skipped.

W. J. Sherring, of the firm of Kelly & Sherring, left for Australia on Saturday. His partner remains to settle up the debts.

Improvements.

A new sidewalk is being laid in front of the Adelphi which will be a great convenience to pedestrians. It was very much needed.

The Yale Election.

It was stated by the premier in his place in the house last night, that the writ for the election in Yale district would probably be issued to-day.

For the North.

Steomer Barbara Boscowitz left for River's Inlet and way ports at 4 o'clock this morning. She took a large amount of freight and a full list of passengers.

The Owner of the Sloop.

It is now learned that the sloop which drifted into Esquimalt harbor on Friday last belonged to Mr. D. R. Rule, of Beechy Bay. Mr. Geo. Brown, who arrived in the city yesterday, stated that Mr. Rule left home on Friday last with a load of farm produce and has not been heard from since. Another gentleman saw a sloop off Macaulay's point on Friday with one man in it, endeavoring to make Esquimalt. From the above there can be no doubt about the fate of the unfortunate man. Mr. Rule was formerly a Cassiar miner, and has been farming in Metchosin for the past five years. He was a native of Cornwall, England.

The Stranded Steamship.

The Mexico is still lying hard and fast on the Belle Chain reef. At low tide the greater part of the vessel is high and dry. As she was running full speed when she struck the rocks and the engines were not stopped until some minutes after the accident, the vessel's hull has sustained considerable damage. The Louise on Sunday night brought down the officers and crew to Victoria. No additional news arrived up to a late hour last night. Capt. Clarke, port warden; Mr. Collister, inspector of hulls, and Capt. Urquhart, representing the underwriters, proceed to the wreck to-day in order to make a survey.

The Messiah.

A highly successful dress rehearsal of "The Messiah" was held last evening in The Victoria. The soloists took their numbers in a highly creditable manner, while the choruses were splendid efforts. The stage has been extended in order to give a better rendering of the magnificent oratorio. The large orchestra were perfect in their time and played the music in a masterly way. The event promises to be the most notable in the musical history of Victoria, and Prof. Sorgé is to be congratulated upon the perfection to which he has brought all those who take part in the oratorio. His energy and perseverance will be amply rewarded by the ovation that will be given the production of "The Messiah" in public on Monday evening next. Half fares have been arranged on railways and steamers, and it is highly necessary for all who wish to secure a seat to at once do so.

Royal Templars.

The Royal Templars of this city gave a social in Temperance hall on Friday evening, 1st inst. The hall was pretty well filled with an attentive audience. The meeting was opened with singing followed by a short prayer by Rev. D. Fraser. The chairman, Mr. R. P. Edwards, gave a short address. Miss Fraser sang "Comin' Thro' the Rye," and was followed by Mr. McLennan with a humorous reading, Mrs. Turnbull sang a beautiful solo which was *encored*. Rev. Mr. Percival set forth the merits of the order in a very clear and forcible address. The choir of the Gorge Road church then favored the audience with an anthem. Rev. Mr. Fraser delivered a short speech bearing on the merits of the order. Miss Evans sang a very pretty solo, and was followed by Mr. Muir with a humorous reading which was *encored*. The singing of the doxology brought the meeting to a close.

Provincial Museum.

The following are the contributions to the provincial museum for the month ending 31st March: Victoria—D. Deasy, Snake in glass, ancient fire-arm; Alick Anderson and G. A. McTavish, 140 native birds' eggs; Mayor Fell, two western bluebirds in glass case; J. J. Cowley, two sea mice; George F. Langley, one zebra fish in glass; Carne & Munsie, section of petrified tree from Alaska, one flying fish; F. K. Williams, sample of silver amalgam from Vital creek; J. Knight, one red-shafted woodpecker.

North Saanich—G. A. McTavish, one stone axe, entomological cork.

Ladner's Landing—Paul Ladner, Townsend's fly-catching thrush; Thos. Mc Neeley, one northern diver.

Fort Simpson—W. B. Anderson, one sea argus, Indian curios, two gray-crowned finches, envelope of skate.

London, Ont.—Prof. Saunders, entomological pines and cork.

Moodyville—Capt. James Van Bramer, samples ores from Hope, Yale and Cherry creek mines.

PERSONAL.

Judge Boultbee returned to Vancouver this morning.

James Reid, M. P., left for Ottawa *via* the C. P. R. this morning.

T. R. Smith, of the Hudson's Bay Co., left for Vancouver this morning.

S. Oppenheimer left for Vancouver this morning to reside there permanently.

Mrs. Whitlaw arrived from San Francisco last evening by the Geo. W. Elder.

George Kenny returns to Manson Creek, Omineca, by the Boscowitz this morning.

J. A. Carthew went north this morning and will superintend the Whonnock Cannery at River's Inlet.

Charles Clifford, agent for the H. B. Co. at the forks of the Skeena, returned this morning.

Walter Morrow, the genial young gentleman connected with the firm of Cowan, Shaw & Co., left for the Whonnock Cannery, River's Inlet, on the Boscowitz this morning.

J. P. Howe has returned to Portland from New York, and has secured many attractions in the theatrical world, the most valuable being Mme. Rhea. Victoria may expect to be well treated by the veteran manager during the summer months.

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Mrs. Agnes Black, of Orton, Ont., says: "For five years I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia and indigestion. I tried

ALASKA'S GOVERNOR.

On the Way to Sitka with His Wife—Ex-Collector McCafferty—The Behring's Sea Matter—The Recent Gold Finds in the Yukon.

Gov. A. P. Swineford, of Alaska, accompanied by his wife, arrived from the Sound yesterday and registered at the Driard. Mrs. Swineford is accompanying her husband to Sitka. He was married last summer and had to leave his bride half an hour after the ceremony and start for the northern territory, of which he had been appointed governor.

In conversation with a COLONIST representative, Gov. Swineford stated that he had secured $45,000 for common schools, Indian industrial schools, and Indian police for the territory.

With regard to the recall of Capt. McCafferty as collector of customs, the Governor said that that had almost been decided upon by the President before he arrived at Washington, strong petitions having been sent in from various quarters opposing the appointment. In spite of his release from office the erratic Captain has transacted government business, held steamers, and ordered their officers ashore though he was virtually no more collector at Sitka than one of its aborigines. The strong attacks made on Governor Swineford's character by a printed petition forwarded and circulated in Washington through the instigation of McCafferty and Cole, the latter of whom is at present in this city, will likely cause the arrest of McCafferty for criminal libel as soon as Gov. Swineford arrives at Sitka.

Being queried as to the possible course his government would pursue in the seal fishery, the governor said that in conversation with Secretary Bayard some time ago, he had stated that the probable course taken would be that the United States would concede the fact that Behring's Sea was a part of the high seas, except with regard to the seals, as it was necessary to protect them in their annual migrations to and from their breeding grounds on the islands. However, nothing was as yet decided. The governor secured another war steamer for Alaska, and the Thetis is now on the way out for the purpose of remaining at Sitka ready for duty in case of any emergency.

With regard to the recent gold finds in the interior he stated that there was no question that the district was in British territory, and he had published this fact to those who intended going in to Stewart river, telling them that they were going on foreign soil and must be prepared to be governed by and to conform with British laws. He did not think that an appropriation had passed congress for the purpose of determining the Alaskan-Canadian boundary, although the matter had occupied some attention and an appropriation submitted for approval.

The governor leaves for Alaska on the next steamer, which is expected to start in a day or two.

ABDUCTED AND MURDERED.

Tue Guay Is Stolen from Her Husband, Taken to a Lonely Island, Murdered and Sunk in the Sea.

It will be remembered that about a month ago a Chinese woman was reported as having been abducted from this city. Her name was Tue Guay, and she was the wife of Wong Chuen, doing business in a small store on Fisguard street. Tue Guay became ill and was sick for a couple of months, but getting somewhat better a Chinaman friend, a wood-chopper, asked her to go out in a carriage for a ride. Tue Guay accepted, and she was seen to drive away with Wong Fat and Lee Sam. This was the last seen of her, and her husband and an interpreter shortly after started to hunt her up. The two men known to have gone away with her were discovered in a sloop in Nanaimo harbor, and were arrested and lodged in gaol. The interpreter, Lee Wing, an intelligent Chinaman, who understands good English, interviewed Lee Sam and got him to admit that the woman was murdered, and upon being pressed gave the whole story of the affair.

Driving to Saanich, she was kept in a camp all night. Next morning she was taken on board a sloop and to an Indian camp, where they remained several days. Promising to return to Victoria, they sailed further north. They then heard that her husband and some officers were searching for the abducted woman, and they sailed to a small uninhabited island, about thirty miles south from Nanaimo. Here they had a small tent erected, and Tue Guay slept on a blanket. The first night Wong Fat took a hatchet and going up to the sleeping woman struck her a hard blow on the back of the head. She never uttered a cry, but almost immediately died. After robbing her of her jewelry, nearly four hundred dollars' of which she had on her person, a heavy stone was tied around her neck, and she was taken some distance from the shore and sunk in about forty feet of water. The Chinese then sailed away in the sloop and were arrested in Nanaimo. Seeing the officers coming Wong Fat dropped the tin box in which was the jewelry over into the waters of Nanaimo harbor.

At Nanaimo the interpreter hired the steamer Saturna and the sheriff and officers and the prisoner Lee Sam steamed to the island where the deed was committed and the latter described how it was done and where the body was sunk. Remains of the burned blanket, with the blood stains still showing, and the keys carried by the unfortunate woman were discovered. She had been sunk with all her clothes on and sewed up in these is the sum of over $1,500, of which the murderers were not aware. Several attempts were made to find the body by dragging, but were unsuccessful, and it is thought a diver will have to be employed for the purpose. Efforts should be made to secure the body, for so diabolical an outrage and murder should be brought home to the principals and they made to suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

Copying Presses—The cheapest line in the city at Robt. Jamieson's. +

A new map of the Kootenay District, for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

Spencer's Arcade.

A large quantity of English freight via Northern Pacific R. R. came through today for "Spencer's Arcade." Shown in the windows are some very choice patterns of Wilton and Brussels carpets, stair carpets, mats, hearth rugs, etc. The new spring dress goods are now being opened, among which are some very pretty French and German and costume flannels, French belges, cashmeres, printed muslins, sateens, dress prints, etc. A walk through the Arcade will well repay you. *

HOT X BUNS.

For Hot X Buns on Good Friday, leave your order at YOUNG BROS., New England Bakery, Government Street.

The "Victor" Noiseless Slates at Jamieson's. +

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and habitual drunkards was referred to committee. The bill provides that anyone who is proven to be a drunkard or imbecile shall not have the right to dispose of any real or personal estate. Any such person may be interdicted and declared incompetent to transact any public business. After being tried before a judge and jury of five and being found by them according to the evidence produced so incompetent, the judge may then appoint a person to manage the affairs of the drunkard or imbecile as the case may be. A list of persons interdicted shall be kept by the registrar of the supreme court, to which the public shall have access.

Bill was reported complete with amendments.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Dunsmuir to a question of privilege objected to the *Times'* attempt to print Scotch. The editor did not understand it, and he was doubtful if he knew English well.

LAND REGISTRY.

Mr. T. Davie moved the first reading of a bill entitled "An act to further amend the land registry ordinance, 1870, and to repeal the statutes 49 Vic., c. 9. Bill was reported complete with amendments.

ORDERS DISCHARGED.

The orders for the second readings of Mr. T. Davie's homestead exemption bill and Mr. Orr's legal professions amendment bill were dis- charged.

BALLOT ACT.

Mr. Higgins moved the second reading of his ballot act amendment bill.

Hon. Mr. Davie said it was particularly inopportune that this bill should pass at this particular time. The writs for the election in Yale would be issued tomorrow, and if this bill passed it would create doubts in the mind of the deputy returning officer as to whether he should be governed by this measure or by the previous act. The subject was a most important one, and he considered required more consideration than could be given at this time.

Mr. Higgins—Suspend the operation of the bill till after the election.

Mr. Semlin said there would be a greater chance of the ballots being counted correctly if it were done at a central office in the presence of the candidate and the deputy returning officer.

Mr. Prior said if the bill passed he hoped the form of the ballot would be improved by providing that no number should be placed on the back of the ballot paper in order to do away with any means of identification.

Mr. Turner was of opinion that the matter should lie over for another session.

Mr. Dunsmuir had never been in favor of the ballot. Men would be more independent if they came up and voted openly.

Mr. Martin moved a six month's hoist.

Mr. Orr said if a census were taken of the people of the province they would agree with the principle of the bill. This was one of the most important measures introduced at this session and he did not favor throwing it overboard for six months.

Mr. Higgins said anyone who had noticed the difference in the manner with which the last provincial and the Dominion elections had been conducted in the city of Victoria would admit the necessity of the bill. It was moreover important that it should be passed to secure the safety of ballots in being transferred from polling places.

Hon. Mr. Robson said this was certainly a most important measure, so important that he did not think it right for the house to undertake its consideration so late in the session.

The motion for a six month's hoist was carried by a vote of 13 to 9.

COMPANIES' ACT.

The attorney-general moved the second reading of a bill to amend the "Companies Act, 1878." Bill passed through committee.

ORDER DISCHARGED.

The order for the second reading of the Assessment Act Amendment Bill (Mr. Higgins) was discharged.

ASSESSMENT.

Hon. Mr. Robson's Assessment Act Amendment Bill was read a third time and passed.

LIEN BILL.

House went into committee on Mr. Stenhouse's Lien Bill.

Mr. Stenhouse moved that the committee rise; carried.

THE LEGAL PROFESSION.

Mr. Semlin moved the second reading of the "Legal Professions Act Amendment Bill." He explained that the object of the bill was to allow lawyers from Great Britain or the other provinces to practice at the bar of this province. On the mainland notwithstanding there were several gentlemen with diplomas from other provinces, there were very few practising lawyers which was a great hardship to the business community. It was but a simple act of justice to the people of the province that the measure should pass.

Mr. T. Davie moved that the word "now" be struck out of the motion, and that the words "this day six months" be inserted. The object of the bill was to accept the declaration of applicants for permission to practice at the bar of the province that he was a duly qualified barrister, instead of requiring him to produce a judge's certificate.

Mr. Higgins did not see why so liberal a gentleman as the introducer of a bill should have required a barrister coming to the province to remain twelve months in it before being admitted to practice. He would have to oppose the bill in its present form.

Mr. Prior agreed with the objection of the honorable junior member for Victoria to the bill, and could not support it for many reasons.

Hon. Mr. Davie did not consider that that twelve months was too long for a lawyer coming from another province to study up the local statutes. He had an opportunity to know that the act which this bill proposed to amend had worked extremely well.

On division the six months' hoist was carried.

PROTECTION OF ORPHANS.

Mr. Ladner moved the second reading of a bill entitled "An Act providing for the apprenticeship of orphans and children abandoned by their parents." It was explained that the object of the bill was to place children without parents or guardians in the charge of persons who would take care of them and put them to a trade.

The bill passed the second reading and was referred to committee. After the bill had been considered for some time, committee reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

TAXES.

Mr. Allen asked: Is it the intention of the government to take such steps as will secure a more thorough system of collecting taxes in the outlying districts of the province?

Hon. Provincial Secretary—Yes.

MR. BELL'S REPORT.

Mr. Martin asked: Has the report of [illegible] been received? and if so, when will copies of it be placed before the House?

Hon. Provincial Secretary—Mr. Bell's report has not yet been received, and it will probably not be ready before the prorogation of the legislature. Mr. Bell will be pleased to show the plans and profile to any honorable member who may desire to see them, but they are not yet sufficiently advanced to be sent from his office.

Mr. Semlin asked if the report would be printed in the sessional papers.

Hon. Mr. Robson replied that they would if possible.

LICENSES.

Mr. Allen asked: Is it the intention of the government to call the attention of revenue collectors to the necessity of enforcing the collection of licenses from traveling pedlars on the mainland?

Hon. Provincial Secretary—Yes.

EXTENSION OF QUADRA STREET.

Mr. Anderson asked: Is it the intention of the government to extend Quadra street from the city boundary to Saanich road this year?

Hon. Attorney-General—The matter has not been considered by the government.

House adjourned at 11:10 till 1 p.m. on Tuesday.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Mr. Turner will move that a respectful address be presented to his honor the lieutenant-governor requesting that he will be pleased to represent to the Dominion government the great and urgent importance of establishing and subsidizing an effective steam ferry between the present terminus of the C. P. railway at Vancouver and some suitable point on Vancouver island to connect with the capital and principal business centres.

Mr. Higgins will ask leave to introduce a bill to limit the sessions of the assembly to 42 calendar days from the date of opening, and to fix the time for holding the sittings thereof by statute.

MARINE.

American bark Otago, 870 tons, coal from Departure Bay to San Francisco.

American bark C. O. Whitmore, 855 tons, coal from Departure Bay to Honolulu.

German iron ship Fernind Fischer, 1726 tons, coal from Nanaimo to San Francisco.

British iron bark Ballumbie, 1131 tons, coal from Nanaimo to San Francisco, at $2.25 per ton.

American ship Harry Morse, 1313 tons, now on the way, coal from Nanaimo to San Francisco.

American Barkentine John Worster, 581 tons, now on the way, coal from Departure Bay to Honolulu.

American iron ship Clarence S. Bement, 1899 tons, coal from Nanaimo to San Francisco, at $2.23 per ton.

During the last fortnight the following vessels have been chartered to load coal and lumber at British Columbia for foreign and coastwise ports:

Ship Iroquois from San Francisco for Nanaimo arrived in Royal Roads Sunday, and was towed to her destination by the tug Alexander yesterday morning.

Tug Pilot returned from Nanaimo yesterday at 3 o'clock p. m., having towed the ship Ocean King up for a cargo of coal from the V. C. Co.'s shutes.

Ship John McDonald, Captain Storer. 2173 net tonnage, has been reported in the straits, 14 days from San Francisco to Nanaimo for a return cargo of coal.

Ship Rosie Welt made the round trip during the last voyage to Nanaimo and return with a cargo of coal to San Francisco in 36 days, which is considered by shipping men to be very good time.

Steamship Geo. W. Elder arrived from San Francisco last evening at 7:30 o'clock with a large cargo of merchandise for this port, and a number of passengers. The cause of her detention was strong head winds.

The Dauntless sailed from Queenstown for Southampton on Friday, where she will be overhauled prior to going on a cruise to the coast of Norway. She will afterward visit the Azores and then return.

British Bark River Falloch, Captain Davidson, 1585 net tonnage, that sailed from Liverpool September 13th and arrived in San Francisco February 2nd, was chartered last Tuesday in the latter port to come to Departure Bay for a return cargo of coal.

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There have been many remarkable cures of deafness reported from the use of Yellow Oil. The proprietors of this medicine have a large number of such testimonials. It is the great household remedy for pain,

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Commencing SATURDAY, 2nd of April, and continuing until the entire Stock is disposed of.

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THE STORE FOR LEASE. WILLIAM DENNY. mar31

LORD LANSDOWNE

Denounced by the Montreal "Post"—Concentrated in Him are all the Worst Qualities of His Ancestors.

CHICAGO, March 27.—The *Times'* Ottawa (Ont.) special says: The attitude of a portion of the Canadian press toward Lord Lansdowne, and the defamatory cables that are daily been received from Ireland regarding his treatment of his Irish tenants, is creating much excitement here. His excellency is seldom, if ever, now seen on the streets of the capital, and whether it is fear of bodily violence or indisposition that keeps him within the precincts of the government house his has certainly been the life of a recluse for several months past, with the exception of ordinary entertainments which throughout the season are given to the residents and visitors of the capital within the walls of Rideau Hall. An article has just appeared in a leading Irish Catholic organ of the Dominion, the Montreal *Post*, in which Lord Lansdowne is the subject of a bitter and incendiary attack.

The article in question, after passing allusion to other governor-generals who have presided over the Dominion, opens its attack upon Lord Lansdowne by charging him with having concentrated within himself all the worst qualities of his ancestry. He is charged with living in luxurious idleness at a cost of $100,000 a year, paid by the mass of toiling fools who go by the name of Canadian people, and in the face of all this has entered upon a system of wholesale evictions against his tenants upon his Queen's County estates, placed by the indulgence of Gladstone in a position where he imagines himself safe from the vengeance of the people he is persecuting with the virulence of a "Cromwell's drummer." He has not only given orders for the eviction of rightful owners of the soil, but he has lied openly in the press to avert the opprobrium which he knows his conduct must entail.

The article then goes on to say that "in this person we have a good specimen of the absentee landlord, rolling in wealth and luxury. He would squeeze the last drop of blood out of the people whom confiscation, murder and infamy have placed under his heartless control as tenants on land of their natural heritage."

WHAT SOME PEOPLE SAY.

That for Finish our work is unsurpassed —Hall & Lowe. *

That the finest assortment of fishing rods and tackle in the province is at J. Barnsley's, Fort street, near Douglas, just received via the C. P. R. 1m

That the recent adulterators of beer were real specimens of "publicans and sinners" without a single pint in their favour.

That Hall & Lowe make a specialty of Children's Pictures. *

"Pray, pardon me madam!" exclaimed a man who had inadvertently sworn in the presence of a lady. "Don't mention it, sir," she replied sweetly. "I am married."

That Hall & Lowe Copy and Enlarge old pictures. *

That—Northern matron (before the school board): "I'm not against eddication, ladies and gen'l'men. I al'ays make him take his book o' nights. But really I calls it a flyin' in the face o' Providence to be keepin' a boy out o'the stables with such a pair o' legs as his'n!" (The legs in question are admirably carved for horsemanship.)

THAT IF YOU NEED MONEY try the Victoria Loan Office, 44 Johnson street. Advances on jewelry, guns, etc. 6m

MAINLAND NEWS.

(News-Advertiser.)

As soon as the passenger trains are running into Vancouver a local passenger service will be commenced between Yale, Vancouver and New Westminster. A train will leave New Westminster at 7 a. m., and returning leave Vancouver at 4 p. m.

The Dilbhur has loaded 750,000 feet of lumber, and will take in about a quarter of a million feet more, which will complete her cargo.

Cure for Inflammatory Rheumatism.

Procure from your druggist a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil and use according to directions. J. D. Cameron, of Westlake, Ainslie, Cape Breton, was cured by this remedy after all other treatment had